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**RESPONSE**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated May 24, 2010, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in view of the following:

**The Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.